IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Shigenobu NAKAMURA

Serial No: 10/573,238

Confirmation No. 7219

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For: Multi-Layer Piezoelectric Element

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Examiner: Not assigned

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted via electronic filing

to:

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on

October 12, 2006
Date of Deposit
Gary ChernyaVsky

Name

Signature

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the "Notification of Missing Requirements, Filing Date Granted," dated September 18, 2006, response to which is due November 18, 2006, enclosed are the following:

- A copy of the "Notification of Missing Requirements Filing Date Granted."
- A "Declaration and Power of Attorney" executed by the inventor(s).
- An English translation of the specification and a statement that translation is accurate.
- Charge the Deposit Account No. 50-1314 in the amount of \$850 in payment of 17 claims over 20.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any underpayment to our Deposit Account No. 50-1314. A copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: October 12, 2006

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